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SUBJ: MAJOR TRADE OPPORTUNITY: TWO DRI DOCKS FOR SAUDI ARABIA

REF: JIDDA A-146 (DEC. 1976)

1. MR. FAYEZ BADR, PRESIDENT AND CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD,
SAUDI GENERAL SEAPORTS ORGANIZATION, HAS TAKEN OUT FOLLOWING
ADVERTISEMENT IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE SAUDI NEWSPAPER
APRIL 23: BEGIN QUOTE.

COMMERCIAL DRY DOCKS

THE PORTS AUTHORITY OF THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA WISHES TO ENTER
INTO A JOINT VENTURE WITH A PRIVATE COMPANY
FOR THE ECONOMIC APPRAISAL, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, OPERATION
AND MAINTENANCE OF A DRY DOCK AND SHIP REPAIR FACILITY FOR
COMMERCIAL SHIPPING AT THE PORTS OF JIDDA AND DAMMAM.
IT IS ENVISAGED THAT THE PORTS AUTHORITY AND THE
PRIVATE COMPANY WOULD EACH HAVE A 50 PERCENT HOLDING IN THE
JOINT VENTURE.

CURRENT CONSIDERATIONS ARE THAT PROVISION WILL BE
REQUIRED FOR DEALING WITH VESSELS UP TO 80,000 DWT TONS
AND THAT THE FACILITY WILL INCLUDE FITTING OUT GUAYS,
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WORKSHOPS, OFFICES AND FULL BACK-UP SERVICES. IN EACH
CASE, THE DRY DOCK WILL BE SITED ADJACENT TO THE EXIST-
ING COMMERCIAL PORT.

COMPANIES OR GROUPS OF COMPANIES INTERESTED IN FORM-
ING A JOINT VENTURE WITH THE PORTS AUTHORITY FOR THE
ABOVE PURPOSES SHOULD SUBMIT (VIA TELEX) PERTINENT

DETAILS OF THEIR ORGANIZATION, A STATEMENT REGARDING
THEIR COMPETENCE, EXPERIENCE, AND THEIR CONDITIONS FOR
ENTERING INTO A JOINT VENTURE NO LATER THAN THREE WEEKS
AFTER THE FIRST APPEARANCE OF THIS ADVERTISEMENT.

SIGNED FAYEZ I. BADR, PH.D.
PRESIDENT AND CHAIRMAN OF
THE BOARD
P.O. BOX 5162 RIYADH SAUDI ARABIA
TELEX NO: 20158 PORTS SJ

END QUOTE.

2. THIS INFORMATION WAS SUPPLIED IN REPAIR. INTERESTED
FIRMS SHOULD EITHER TELEX DIRECTLY TO DR. BADR OR SEND
MATERIAL TO EMBASSY FOR FORWARDING TO BADR.
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